

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF SC
VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT
(Non-Merit Agency)

POSITION: Attorney IV (2 Positions)

POSITION NO: 61159 & 106722

SALARY RANGE: \$50,901-94,174

STATUS: Permanent/Full-time

DEPARTMENT: Legal

OPEN: October 24, 2005

CLASS CODE: AE40 SLOT: 0001/0002

BAND: 08

HIRING RANGE: \$54,000-85,000

OFFICE HOURS: 8:15-4:45 M-F

LOCATION: Columbia, SC

CLOSE: November 28, 2005

DESCRIPTION OF POSITION: Under limited supervision, provides legal advice to members of the agency. Advises Commissioners and staff regarding litigated matters and oral arguments before the Commission. Performs legal research, prepares legal opinions and interprets laws. Write briefs, orders, rules and other documents requested by the Commissioners and staff. Respond to inquiries concerning legal aspects of the agency. Provides legal advice regarding implications of current and/or proposed regulatory processes. Works closely with analytical and engineering staff on complex regulatory and technical matters. May preside as a hearing officer or examiner over select administrative proceedings. Reports to the Chief Counsel.

REQUIRED KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS AND ABILITIES: Extensive knowledge of the laws of South Carolina; working knowledge of the theories of legal research; ability to interpret and apply laws and judicial decisions. A strong and extensive background in regulatory practices with a thorough understanding of the procedures and duties of administrative agencies; good communication skills and ability to explain technical matters in simplified terms; must have ability to interpret and apply federal and state law, rules and regulations.

PREFERRED QUALIFICATIONS: Professional work experience in utility regulatory matters and administrative law and at least three years of experience as an attorney with a regulatory agency or practicing before a regulatory agency.

MINIMUM TRAINING AND EXPERIENCE: Applicant must hold a law degree from an accredited college or university and three year's experience as a practicing attorney. State Bar of South Carolina membership is required. Consideration will not be given to any applicant who is not an active, current member of the South Carolina Bar in good standing.

APPLICATION PROCESS: Interested persons meeting the required qualifications should submit a S.C. State Government Application for Employment to Carolyn C. Nelson, Public Service Commission, Post Office Drawer 11649, Columbia, SC 29211 or call (803) 896-5102.

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